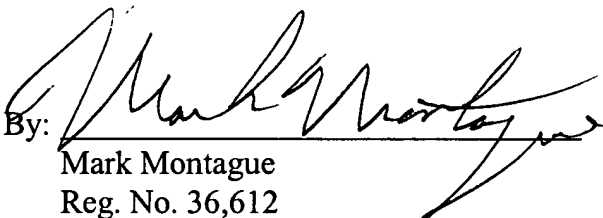


**REMARKS**

This preliminary amendment amends the specification and abstract, referring by page number and line number to the attached English-language translation of the international patent application, to place it in more appropriate U.S. Form . The abstract has been amended so that it does not exceed the 150 maximum word length. No new matter has been added.

An early and favorable examination of this application is respectfully requested.

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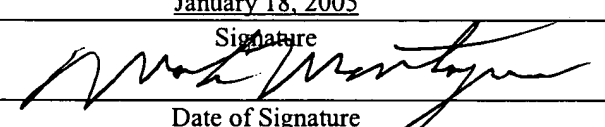
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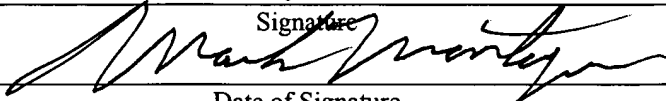
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